

9 March 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

Special Assistant for
Vietnamese Affairs

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SUBJECT : Tender of Resignation

1. It is with considerable regret that I wish to submit my resignation from your staff. The years that I have spent with you since joining your staff in June 1967 were times of crucial importance to you, to the Agency, and to the country. I was both pleased and proud to have been a part of your effort.

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3. I consider myself to be extremely fortunate not only to have been allowed to work in the area of Indochina during a critical time but also to have worked so closely with you personally. You have now, and will continue to have, my deepest admiration for your qualities as a leader and as a person. I can only hope that my work in the future will permit my association with people of your caliber.

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I wish you to know that on a personal basis I remain at your service. If I can in any way be helpful to you in the future you need only ask.

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